

Notice to Navigation Interests

of Engineers

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TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

CHANNEL MAINTENANCE DREDGING IN THE OHIO AND KANAWHA RIVERS

HUNTINGTON DISTRICT

Ohio River channel maintenance dredging in the Huntington District for the 2008 season will be performed by contract with Luhr Brothers, Inc., Columbia, Illinois. On or about 4 September 2008, the cutterhead suction dredge BILL HOLMAN, will commence dredging in the Upper Approach of Meldahl Locks, Ohio River Mile 436.2. Approximately 30,000 cubic yards of material will be dredged at this location. The nearest known downstream municipal water intake is at Neville, Ohio River Mile 350.7. The dredge will then proceed upstream. Successive dredge sites, quantity, mile points and nearest downstream municipal intakes are listed below.

Dredging will be performed 24 hours a day, 7 days per week. The dredge BILL HOLMAN will monitor marine channel 13. A Government Dredge Inspector will be in attendance at each site on arrival of the Contractor's crew and equipment.

Navigators are requested to be alert to the location of the dredge and its floating discharge pipeline. The dredge and attendant plant will be marked and lighted according to regulations. It is essential that navigators await the passing signal from the dredge prior to proceeding with caution.

Site	Approximate Commencement Date	Estimated Quantity	Nearest Downstream Municipal Intake
Upper Approach Meldahl Locks Ohio River Mile 436.2	Sept 4	30,000	Neville, OH Ohio River Mile 350.7
Bonanza Bar Ohio River Mile 353.5	Sept 9	100,000	Maysville, KY Ohio River Mile 407.8
Lower Approach Greenup Locks Ohio River Mile 341.4	Sept 16	20,000	Portsmouth, OH Ohio River Mile 350.7
Guyandotte P.A.S. Mile 305.2	Sept 20	8,000	Huntington, WV Ohio River Mile 306.9

Indian Guyan P.A.S. Mile 306.0	Sept 22	2,000	Huntington, WV Ohio River Mile 306.9
Lower Approach Robert C. Byrd Locks Ohio River Mile 279.6	Sept 23	75,000	Huntington, WV Ohio River Mile 306.9
Lower Approach Winfield Locks Kanawha River Mile 31.1	Sept 29	40,000	Gallipolis, OH Ohio River Mile 268.6
Lower Approach Racine Locks O.R. Mile 238.0	Oct 3	15,000	Gallipolis, OH O.R. Mile 268.6
U.S. Government Harbor, Mile 172.1	Oct 7	35,000	Parkersburg, WV Mile 182.1
Lower Approach Willow Island Mile 161.5	Oct 10	19,000	Marietta, OH Mile 171.3

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